Editorials

Quick Money

a new contraband ring - these "dealers" illegally sell liquor, breaking the enforcement of the Prohibition Law. Although police patrol harbors and docks in an effort to suppress these illegal acts, "bootlegging" - as it has been called - still occurs.

A bootlegger can make anywhere from five hundred to two-thousand dollars in one month. This is probably why bootlegging seems like such an attractive occupation; but police assure the press that any individual apprehended selling liquor will serve a sentence of five years if found guilty, and persons arrested for consuming liquor will be sentenced to a week in prison.

The greatest bootlegger in Chicago is Al Capone, who has built a criminal empire based largely on illegal alcohol. Despite this known fact, the Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI) has been powerless in the capture of the mobster due to a lack of concrete evidence.



Liquor stores such as this one have been shut down due to government regulations.



Letters to the Editor

In a recent article I read the ill effects of smoking. It was stated that smoking causes cancer and lung problems. Well if this is true, the why is it that I do not have cancer nor lung problems? I think that "research" was made up and by scientists because I have been smoking since I was twelve and I have not experienced either complication yet.

-Skeptical from

New York

Cheating²

Infidelities are a common occurrence in many of today's couples. The most publicized - between millionaire Tom Buchanan and Myrtle Wilson - has shocked the elite community of New York City. Within the same couple, Tom Buchanan's wife, Daisy, has been having an affair with the extravagant Jay Gatsby who is widely known for his elaborate

parties.

These affairs are wrong! If people are going



Tom Buchanan and \Myrtle Wilson pose together in a photograph.

to cheat on each other, why not get a divorce? Although it is a rough alternative, it sure is better than continuing a failed marriage, and pretending it still works. My advice to Tom Buchanan is to chose between Daisy and Myrtle, and focus only on one of them. Daisy has to decide which man she loves

As a mother of an 18 year-old young man, I worry about his safety and well being, especially when he is among his friends. Since the Prohibition Law passed, I have felt safer, but recent reports of bootlegging and the illegal sale of alcohol have made me pray three times a day. Can I know what to do to feel safer and more relaxed about my party-bound son?

-Worried and Concerned